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SUBJ: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, WORLD FOOD COUNCIL -- BANGLADESH
CANDIDATE SALAHUDDIN AHMED

REF: USUN 01088

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED A NOTE FROM THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS DATED MARCH 21 REQUESTING U.S. SUPPORT FOR THE CANDIDACY OF SALAHUDDIN AHMED FOR THE POST OF EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE WFC. AHMED IS CURRENTLY SERVING AS SECRETARY, MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS.

2. MFA'S NOTE RECOMMENDS AHMED AS A SENIOR CIVIL SERVANT WITH LONG AND VARIED EXPERIENCE IN GOVERNMENT, PARTICULARLY IN AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT. IT CITES AHMED'S FORMER SERVICE AS THE FIRST PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF BANGLADESH TO THE FAO FOR THREE YEARS, HIS CHAIRMANSHIP OF THE FAO FINANCE AND AGRICULTURE COMMITTEES, AND HIS ACTIVE ASSOCIATION WITH THE WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE AND THE WORLD FOOD COUNCIL. THE IMPORTANCE OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT TO BANGLADESH ARE PRESENTED AS FURTHER REASONS FOR AHMED'S CANDIDACY.

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3. ACTION REQUESTED: AHMED IS A SENIOR BUREAUCRAT FROM THE FORMER CIVIL SERVICE OF PAKISTAN. IN CONTACTS WITH HIM EMBOFFS HAVE FOUND HIM COMPETENT AND EXPERIENCED IF NOT ALWAYS HELPFUL. PLEASE ADVISE REPLY TO BE MADE TO MFA'S NOTE ON AHMED'S BEHALF. BIO MATERIAL RECEIVED FROM MFA BEING POUCHED TO IO/AGR

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